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## PATENTS FILED AND SEALED IN INDIA, 1976-77 TO 2015-16

Year	No. of applications made	No. of applications brought forward from preceding year	Total No. of applications to be examined	No. of applications examined	No. of applications deemed to have been abandoned filling of complete specifications	Total No. of complete specifications notified as accepted the year	No. of applications deemed to have been abandoned non-acceptance of Complete Specifications	No. of patents sealed		No. of patents in force		(Number)
								Indian	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
1976-77	3104	3876	6980	3612	295	2840	533	928	1964	2746	19780	
1977-78	2870	3067	5937	2369	378	2507	577	657	1857	3065	19795	
1978-79	2932	3190	6122	1266	283	2070	498	281	499	2469	13966	
1979-80	2980	4573	7533	1498	304	1210	429	516	1657	2786	14474	
1980-81	2954	5751	8705	2301	325	1007	372	349	670	2757	14448	
1981-82	2989	6079	9068	2984	274	1191	422	421	936	3038	14892	
1982-83	3085	5810	8895	3165	310	1580	734	405	822	3329	15291	
1983-84	3145	5420	8565	3043	295	1447	774	340	980	3523	15726	
1984-85	3319	5227	8546	2270	224	3267	710	263	1206	3008	13162	
1985-86	3526	6052	9578	2490	214	1495	824	451	1500	2549	10844	
1986-87	3489	6874	10363	4846	267	1706	729	532	1594	2004	10059	
1987-88	3457	5250	8707	3582	158	2966	912	588	1516	2150	10115	
1988-89	3598	4967	8565	3650	166	2386	1049	795	2585	2584	11015	
1989-90	3661	4746	8407	3333	225	1760	984	519	1371	2468	10941	
1990-91	3764	4849	8613	2185	183	2170	878	379	1112	2238	8210	
1991-92	3552	6255	9807	2431	213	2060	789	551	1125	1206	9093	
1992-93	3467	7163	10630	2347	289	1600	567	251	1021	1034	8997	
1993-94	3869	7994	11863	2590	224	1250	686	442	1304	1995	7281	
1994-95	5330	9049	14379	2745	130	1590	765	476	1283	1923	7052	
1995-96	7036	11504	18540	2862	204	1400	972	415	1118	2098	6694	
1996-97	8562	15474	24036	3042	375	2049	675	293	614	2003	7202	
1997-98	10155	20619	30774	2688	59	2580	803	619	1225	2047	6882	
1998-99	8954	28027	36981	2931	820	1600	804	645	1155	2088	6691	
1999-00	4824	33230	38054	2824	362	1310	195	557	1324	2200	6458	
2000-01	8503	34968	43471	4264	89	1950	460	399	919	1495	6530	
2001-02	10592	39118	49710	5104	325	1669	1031	654	937	1578	6742	
2002-03	11466	44281	55747	9538	290	2780	1633	494	885	1479	6519	
2003-04	12613	NIL	12362	10709	933	2805	1695	945	1524	2075	4331	
2004-05	17466	NA	19001	14813	267	3307	775	764	1147	2200	4657	
2005-06	24505	NA	21926	11569	414	NA	894	1396	2924	4486	11933	
2006-07	28940	NA	20645	14119	694	NA	1121	1907	5632	3473	13593	
2007-08	35218	NA	22146	11751	1066	NA	479	3173	12088	7966	21722	
2008-09	36812	NA	30595	10296	888	NA	1075	2541	13520	6158	24664	
2009-10	34287	NA	28653	6069	2720	NA	5171	1725	4443	6781	30553	
2010-11	39400	NA	31493	11208	185	NA	5186	1273	6236	7301	32293	
2011-12	43197	NA	33811	NA	698	NA	3800	699	3682	7545	32444	
2012-13	43674	NA	36247	NA	361	NA	4559	716	3410	8303	35612	
2013-14	42951	NA	37474	NA	224	NA	6418	634	3592	7464	35168	
2014-15	42763	NA	34958	NA	12	NA	6970	684	5294	7561	35695	
2015-16	46904	NA	35960	NA	1226	NA	12782	918	5408	7306	37218	

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